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THEY COME! They are Coming.



MR. J. R. RACE

Is in New York and is sending out FALL and WINTER GOODS, bought Cheaper than ever. We are prepared to show you Good goods, well made, consisting of

Clothing, Hats, Trunks, Valises and Gents' Furnishing Goods,

at prices as low as some ask for "Trash," knowing that it will pay the purchaser the best. Our Motto is to sell Good Goods. It pays to trade with us, as you can always get the Correct Styles and the Best Goods for the LEAST MONEY. We can also supply you with a'1 Styles of

CAMPAIGN HATS.

Our MR. M. L. PARKER has just returned from NEW YORK, where he has interviewed the leading designers of correct styles in JENN'S TAILOR MADE SUITS, and is better prepared than ever to make you a GOOD FITTING, FIRST-CLASS SUIT. Our MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT is stocked with all the Latest Novelties in PIECE GOODS for Fall and Winter Trade, and it will be to your advantage to give us your or less. Our PRICES are as LOW as the LOWEST. Come in and see us. Respectfully,

J. R. RACE & CO.

129-135 N. Water St., DECATUR, ILL.

"Golden Star," for Soft Coal.

A BASE HEATING,
Floor Warming Stove.

Any one wishing a STRICTLY
FIRST-CLASS Base Heating Stove,
will do well to examine the

GOLDEN STAR,

In Soft Coal SMOKE CONSUMERS we keep

DENMARK and LION.

In Hard Coal-burners,
RADIANT HOME
AND

WESTMINSTER.

In Cook Stoves, CHARTER OAK, BOOM and GOLDEN STAR.

In Ranges, NOVEL, ACORN and GOLD COIN.

OLD CORNER HARDWARE STORE,
CLOSE, GRISWOLD & CO.

1884 HERE I AM. 1885

F. D. CALDWELL. the Coal Dealer.
COAL. WOOD.

HAS AT ALL TIMES A FULL SUPPLY OF

HARD and SOFT COAL such as LEHIGH, LACKAWANNA, DECATUR & INDIANA BLOCK and BLOSSBURG, which is dry, clean and nicely screened. Also, CORD and STOVE WOOD, at my

YARD, Adjoining Furniture Factory.

OFFICE at Yard and with American Express Company, 3d Door west of Post Office.

Chancery Notice.

STATE of Illinois, etc.
McLean County, etc.
McLean County Circuit Court, December term, 1884.

William M. Hightower vs. Eliza A. Hightower — For Divorce.

Hightower is hereby given that William M. Hightower has commenced a suit in the Circuit Court of McLean County, Illinois, at the Court House in Decatur on the first day of December, 1884, against Eliza A. Hightower, for a divorce. The cause will be heard and determined, and a decree entered accordingly.

Decree entered accordingly.

E. MCGREGOR, Clerk of said court.

B. McGORRAY,

LIFE, FIRE AND TORNADO INSURANCE, AND

REAL ESTATE AGENT.

Leave to go to from Europe.

Room No. 3, Powers' Block, Decatur, Ill.

Oct. 9, 1884.

J. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

CHARLES LAUX, Proprietor,

On the side of the Old Square, Decatur.

Jan. 1, 1885.

Hints About Breaking Carts.

Break and drive carts by using the home-made "rig" — a stout pair of wheels and axle with shafts attached, running out behind eight feet or so according to the height of the wheels. This is to prevent bucking and roaring. In making a breaking-cart, it is best to have the shafts and cross, as the cart is more confined, and soon gives up its natural tendency to turn inward. Drive carts barefoot until the feet show signs of wear and lameness, usually until they are five years old. If the aim is to make a trotter of him, and he is given speedy work, that alters the case somewhat, and the hard pounding that some roads give, with the danger arising from striking stones in such a way as to split the hoof, makes it necessary to shoe fast colts when they are undergoing training exercise.

In breaking and training colts single, it is best to do so without others. They become quickly accustomed to the appearance of a vehicle following them, which must be a terrible sight to a horse that has always been driven closely blinded, when by chance, having on a headstall with loose cheek-pieces, or by any other accident, he sees a top-wagon following close to his heels. Many a frightened runaway has come from this cause. Long cheek-pieces, when the horse is suddenly drawn up, are naturally thrown out from the head, and make the animal have a view perhaps for the first time what is behind him, and to "go on." Then, the harder the driver pulls, the plainer the horse sees the wagon. In turning a horse, make sure that he is not afraid of the vehicle behind him when in motion. It is easily done by walking at his side and lifting the back part of the blinder.

One of the most important things to teach a colt is to back and to stop backing at the word whoa! This should always be done at first on a gentle down grade. The packing of course must be done down the grade, which should not be steep enough to take the entire effort of breaking off of the cart to lessen it essentially. As soon as the colt becomes a little accustomed to the cart, or even before he is put in shafts, he must learn what whoa! means, and under any and all circumstances to stop short when he hears it. Then when placed before the breaking-cart, some severe "shock" should be arranged to be applied at once. Several contrivances are in use. A hard jerk upon the tail is good to take the place of the check, but that makes the tender mouth sore and irritable, and causes the cart-breakers use a strap run through a ring in the end, passed over and attached to the head-stall, the end of the strap being run through the ring, which hangs at the right side of the head, and goes back to the hand of the driver. At the word, a sharp pull tightens the noose upon the colt's throat and throws up his head, stopping him at once. If the strap is loose immediately on being relaxed, it will give the colt a palpable hit, it is never applied to the head. The expectation of the "shock" will soon cause the colt to stop at the word, as if he were struck in the face. The habit thus acquired will last for life, provided the word is not improperly used, and he gets an idea that whoa! means "not quite so fast." Even a runaway horse, properly trained to stop at whoa! will often do so, and the habit is a safe safeguard against accidents, which can hardly be over-estimated.—American Agriculturist.

Pure Crystal Ice.

The warm weather is here, and now you want pure crystal ice left at your doors to give you comfort and make you cool in the heat of summer. D. A. Maffit, who has two wagons that make regular rounds, is ready to supply the people every day in quantities to suit, at the lowest ruling rates. Mr. Maffit has a splendid supply of pure ice. Leave your orders with him. His telephone is 111. All orders filled promptly.

Saturday.

It is all right to go to trade at the large and popular shoe store of L. L. Ferriss & Co., on Saturday. Their wholesale and retail force, numbering nine salesmen, all in regular service, are on Saturday. Mr. Ferriss and Mr. Knobell are the managers.

Prompts in fastening buttons and as much attention paid to customers on Saturday as any other day.

1884.

Finn carriage and buggy harness, plow and team harness at J. W. Tyler's new shop, northwest corner of old square.

Repairing a specialty.

1-dif

Go to Wheevel & Biens', at Adam Biens' in the market, for fresh fish.

1884.

MOTHERS, fathers, and all who have the care for a family, call on Cheep Charley and see if you cannot make money by purchasing everything in the line of Clothing, Hats and Furnishing Goods, in his new store on the corner of the old square.

Nov. 1-dif

Coal Coal Coal.

Now is the time to lay in your coal and wood for the winter. You ought to be sure and see George Elshout before you buy. Telephone 132, or order at Armstrong's drug store. Sept. 2-dif

The circumstances of each feeder will determine, to a great extent, the question to whether or not it will pay to grow pumpkins, or other kinds of food for cattle. But inasmuch as the cost of raising pumpkins is generally confined to the planting and setting in the field, we can, as to the labor of gathering and cutting the crop for the stock, it is not likely that much loss will result from raising plenty of them and feeding freely to cattle. That they may form an additional to the diet of milch cows is too well known to require stating. That great benefit to fattening stock will follow feeding with pumpkins, as from feeding roots, can not be doubted. And as it seems to be settled that the farmer will be enabled to sell his surplus pumpkins at a profit, it will pay to do as thousands have done, produce a large crop of pumpkins and leave them to freeze and rot in the field, while the stock grawns a half starved existence from the straw-stack and from storm-blown cornstalls. In feeding pumpkins it is better to remove the seeds in considerable quantities than act as a diuretic.

Extended experiments have been made with potatoes in feeding, but it would be difficult to say how profitable they would be as food for cattle in different regions and under varying circumstances. Scientific analysts can do something to help decide the question; but it has been found that practical results do not agree with those which such analysts have led us to expect.

The market value of potatoes and other foods, the cost of production, must be considered in reaching a decision. It is quite clear that with good corn selling at ten cents per bushel, and potatoes worth twenty-five cents, as has been the case in the West, the latter could not be a profitable feeding crop. But when potatoes sell slowly at ten cents per bushel and corn at fifty cents the difference might be in favor of potatoes.

Good news for the ladies—Mrs. K. Einstein in Masonic block has just received a new arrival in the shape of fall clothing, goods and novelties which she invites the early inspection of her patrons. Go only. Hats trimmed in fine style by Miss Menger. Oct. 9-dif

Go to L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s shoe store for good goods, good fit, handsome styles and the lowest prices in this country.

22-dif

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour sold here.

22-dif

Greater fall stock of boots and shoes ever shown in Decatur now ready at L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s, at prices to suit customers. No better goods in the world.

22-dif

A new article in Masonic Cord, and the very best, can be found at

April 22-dif LINN & SCRUGGS.

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WE ARE NOW SHOWING

A MAGNIFICENT LINE OF

Solid Silver Presentation Pieces,

As well as more practical

Solid Sterling Silverware,

Such as SPOONS, FORKS, &c.

Also, everything new in Bronze, polished, and Antique Brass, Mantel, Parlor, Library and Hall Furniture.

We have spared no pains to have the finest assortment of goods suitable for Holiday, Birthday or Wedding Presents we have ever shown.

We have all the latest popularities, at prices much lower than you could buy them for in Chicago, St. Louis, or any place where an equal assortment is shown you.

WE INVITE YOUR INSPECTION!
OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.Order Your Bread
PIES AND CAKES,
—OR—

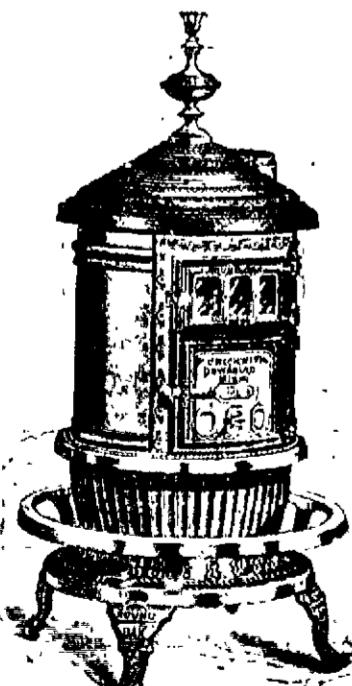
BREWER.

Special attention paid to fine ORNAMENTED
WEDDING CAKES.

BREWER, the BAKER,

211 North Main-St., Decatur, Ill.

Jan. 14, 1884. Price

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS
OF THE
ROUND OAK!

IMITATED BY MANY, BUT EQUALLED BY NONE.

SOLD ONLY BY
FERGUSON & DILLEHUNT.

S. C. HATCH & BRO.

Desire to call Special Attention to purchasers of

Dry Goods and Millinery!

To the fact that we show the Most Attractive Stock in Central Illinois.
PRICES ALWAYS THE LOWEST.Miss Annie McDo is in charge of Trimming Department.
NEW GOODS DAILY. Choicest lines of Bird Plumes, Tipts and Ornaments ever shown in this city. DEMOREST'S PATTERNS.S. C. HATCH & BRO.,
Aug-1884. 111 East Main Street, Power's Block.

The Daily Republican.

TERMS.
Per week, payable to Carrier, 10cts.
One year, in advance, 25cts.
Six Months, " 25cts.
Three Months, " 25cts.

MONDAY EVENING, NOV. 10, 1884.

LOCAL NEWS.

DOLL CARRIAGES, Wagons and Velocipedes, all styles, sizes and prices, at
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & CO.

EMOTIONAL drama to-night.

MINSTREL to-morrow evening.

BALL at the Palace Hotel Thursday night.

The "Wife's Honor" party is at the St. Nicholas.

The "war is over." Now let us have peace.

The G. A. R. band has an engagement to go to Marion to-morrow night.

V. H. PARKER is just receiving his stock of Hard Coal, direct from the mines, Lehigh, Scranton and Lackawanna, Telephone 55. Soft Coal, Lump or Nut at his Feed Store. Will make lowest prices; greatest quality and weight. Every description of coal, wood, coal oil, coke and ice, adjoining Tabernacle, cost 25cts.

Guess most of the democratic roosters have been stricken with cholera. Very few, if any, are to be seen to-day.

Since the 4th many a voter in Decatur has changed his place of residence.

The police yesterday jailed four local offenders.

The school children will have another week of turmoil over the election.

If all so-called remedies have failed, Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy cures.

See Henry A. Wood's advertisement on fourth page.

Mr. PATERSON announces that he will sell lots in Gault's new addition to Decatur, near corner of South Broadway and Priest streets, in the fourth ward.

In anticipation of victory, scores of old-time Democrats about town are already fussing about who shall get the post office.

Bear 25 cent dinner in the city at Kraus' lunch room, 145 East Prairie St. Oct. 22-23.

The claims of the two National committees are a stand-off. It will take the official count to decide the matter. The *Globe-Democrat* now figures Blaine's plurality by counties at 619.

The democrats propose to have a big jamboree in Decatur to-morrow night. Arrangements have been made to bring in the country delegations.

Smoke none but Schreyer's celebrated Bohemian cigars, sold by all leading dealers.

The Sons of Veterans will hold their regular stated meeting to-night. Hour of meeting 7:30 o'clock.

SEVERAL reports of local importance will be made at the adjourned meeting of the city council this evening.

THE campaign hats are still worn, gentle reminders of the heated campaign and of trips to various cities, long tramps and enthusiasm.

FRESH oysters and fish every day at Peter Ulrich's grocery store.

BURK OYSTERS on sale at Wood Bros., 27-28.

If you have not purchased your tickets for the Vassarburgh lectures, do so at once. The first lecture of the course is delivered this week on Thursday evening. Subject, "London and the English."

ORDER fresh butter, eggs, and fine family flour at Neidermyer's store, on the mound. Use the telephone.

In their new advertisement to-morrow the New York store will announce important reductions.

The "Little Jokor," at the Little Red Front on the Levee, 1018 dimes.

GOSPEL services every evening this week (except Wednesday) in the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association. This is the week of prayer.

Buy your wool and coal of Geo. (Eduard) and get a good quality. Telephone 138, or at Armstrong's drug store, 1018 dimes.

The Mt. Zion democrats have arranged to celebrate to-night, but they will do it mostly on fond hopes. They are not certain that Grover is there, but Boss Barnum says he is, and so the dance will go on, win or lose.

Fuzan Overman, direct from Baltimore, by car or drift. *None but the best brands* at Marcus' restaurant, 1016-1017 dimes.

INSURE those elegant Haines Bros. pianos at C. B. Prescott's music parlor, in open block.

ORDERS left at Peter Ulrich's grocery store, 27-28, and Wood will be promptly filled.

GO to Wadcock & Blenz for Baltimore oysters at Adam Blenz' meat market, 1018-1019.

SATURDAY, at Lexington, Mand. 1, made miles for exercise in 21015, the fastest mile ever trotted in the month of November. The track was frozen and other circumstances were unfavorable. The effort is considered equal to a mile in 2:03:14.

ROUTINE skating Monday, Friday and Saturday afternoons and evenings. Admission in the evening, 15 cents; admission, day, 10 cents. Season tickets, \$5.

NICHOLS' new wadcock cigar, at the Little Red Front on the Levee, 1018 dimes.

FURRY BUCK OYSTERS at Wood & Blenz' meat market.

DRESSED POULTRY at Wadcock & Blenz' at Adam Blenz' meat market, 1018-1019.

SAM LEE, 133 North Water Street—machines, ironed shirts, 10 cents, collars 3 cents, cuffs 5 cents per pair.

A LINE of unpassable Overcoats, for men, boys and children, at Nov. 1-10. C. H. CHARLEY'S.

G. P. HART, Upholsterer.

CHARLEY BRYAN would be pleased to have his friends call and see him at John Irwin's White Frock.

6-12-1884.

Oysters served up in first-class style at Kress', 145 East Prairie St. [221st]

THE Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific R.R. will run an excursion at half the regular rate, to Southeastern Kansas and Southwestern Missouri, on Tuesday next, the 11th inst. The excursion will run to Kansas City over the Wabash, and then by the St. Scott and Gulf to Baxter Springs, Kan. For maps, rates and other information, call on or address Thomas Bivins, land excursion agent, Decatur, Ill.

MANTLES and GLOVES at Ferguson & Dillehun's.

1018-1019.

WADCOCK & BLZNS.

Have opened an Oyster, Fish, Poultry and Vegetable market, in connection with Adam Blenz' meat market. Dressed poultry at all times. Will keep the best the market affords. Orders by telephone promptly filled.

1018-1019.

Changes at the Chapel.

During the past several months between \$30,000 and \$40,000 have been expended in repairing and beautifying the interior of St. Stephen's Chapel, besides introducing steam heating apparatus. The lofty ceiling is now made of hard wood nicely varnished, and there are two elegant gas chandeliers pendent from the center, one near the front, the other near the rear. The pulpit has been made deeper and widened, making room at the rear of the sacred desk for the church organ and choir, and the old choir loft near the entrance has been transformed into a comfortable room for the infant class of the Sabbath school.

The church throughout is heated by steam, so arranged that the occupants in cold weather may place their feet above or below it, and keep warm. The steam pipes are to be nicely bronzed. Services were held in the audience room on Sunday, when Rev. Stevens delivered two discourses. The improvements are substantial and pretty. Myers & Son did the freemasonry, P. R. Williams the wood work, and Kornberger & O'Neill the plumbing.

The Drama to-night.

The Marston Combination is at the St. Nicholas and will appear at the opera house to-night. Said the N. Y. World of the company and play:

The only event of interest during the past week has been the production of Lawrence Marston's drama, "A Wife's Honor," at the Windsor Theater. Marston is comparatively a young man, but he has shown himself in this work to be a capital play-wright and an excellent actor. The play itself is strongly emotional, and it is well written by Sardon instead of an American author, would have been grabbed at with avidity by some of the high-toned managers.

At the meeting of the council to-night one or more sidewalk ordinances will come up for consideration. It is a little late, perhaps, to order new walks built, as snow will soon begin to fly; but the ordinances can be passed and the work done next year. The bad walks on certain streets should be given immediate attention.

Each of our city pastors preached a sermon yesterday bearing on the work and efforts of the Y. M. C. A. and of the International committee.

JUDGE JESSE J. PHILLIPS and Mrs. Julia K. Best, of Hillsboro, were married Friday evening. The groom is well known throughout Central and Southern Illinois, and is now one of the circuit judges of that judicial district. He was the judge who presided over the famous Emma Bond trial.

IN New York City there are 712 polling places to each of which were detailed on election day four inspectors at \$100, two supervisors at \$50, two clerks \$15, two marshals 10, total \$225, amounting to \$160,200 for the entire city; there was, it is estimated, paid for printing tickets \$500,000 and to political workers fully \$1,000,000; 3,500 at \$5 each, \$17,500, and \$10,000 for postage on the same, making the cost of election in New York City alone, \$1,008,000. A presidential election is a luxury, financially at least.

THE Pickrell Stock Sale.

In the excitement of election time the REPUBLICAN failed to record the important sale of cattle by Pickrell, Thomas & Smith, which occurred recently at Harrison. It was the closing out sale of this famous herd and resulted as follows: 23 females sold for \$5500, average \$240. 15 bulls " 1750, " 120

38 head sold for \$7300, average \$192.

The sale of farm stock, farm implements, crops, etc., was continued the next day. In commenting on the sale, the *Western Agriculturalist* says:

Mr. Pickrell's failing health compels him to give up active business. Short-horn breeders lose from their ranks their most successful breeder, who, as president of the American Short-horn Breeders' Association, has placed that association at the head of all stock associations in America, and in his health will permit him to continue the valuable work as president, should he be induced to do so.

This sale closed the series of Short-horn sales.

A CITIZEN of Decatur is in receipt of a letter from a friend in Mississippi. He writes that the Democrats down there are wild with joy over the supposed success of Cleveland, and states that the negroes are badly frightened. He declares that thousands of them are even now getting ready to come north where their lives will not be in danger.

WHAT is in order to warble:

A plump hen forth to plumb;

And when half day is done,

Presented his bill without delay.

The king brought forth his bags of gold,

His diamonds and his jeweled crown;

The plump hen, to warble to him,

And took a marriage on the throne.

MARRIED.

At the residence of her sister, Mrs. Davis, five miles southeast of Decatur, on the evening of Nov. 6, 1884, by Rev. T. J. Smith, of Paris, Mr. D. F. Bear and Miss Anna Hoxman, both of this community.

The reception was held Friday evening at the residence of the groom, five miles north of Decatur. It was attended by about 50 friends and neighbors of the happy pair, all of whom partook of a grand feast and were royally entertained.

THERE is no question about Macon county and Illinois Island having gone Republican, and the *Illinois* is still floating in Illinois and Cook county.

A GRAND Excursion to California, via New Orleans, will be made by the "World's Exposition," will leave Chicago over the Illinois Central R. R., about December 1st—the exact date will be announced in a few days. This is an overland tour of unparalleled interest and attraction. For full particulars apply to A. H. Hanson, Genl. Passenger Agent, I. C. R. R., Chicago, or Geo. W. Karr, Genl. Tourist Agent, 309 Randolph Ave., Minneapolis, Minn. 54th

SILAS Packard, W. B. Harry, F. W. Hayes, John May, Dr. Casenoweth and a host of other popular speakers and another citizen, will go to the popular Peach Orchard, Clay county, Arkansas, on the 1st day morning, and go into camp for a period of three weeks. The party goes on a hunting expedition, and will take with them plenty of provisions and ammunitions.

A. T. Summers got a soft hat the other day. A friend bantered him, and Al, let a \$50 watch against a \$40 gold timer that Ogleby would defeat Harrison in the state. The democrat forced over his watch this morning.

MRS. Prot. Hitchcock and daughter, of Amherst, Mass., are visiting Mr. J. E. Bering and family.

Major Chambers started for the country this morning. He will visit Warrensburg and probably Niantic.

E. W. Cooke has returned to his home in Minnesota, where he has a large farm.

Guy J. Park writes that he is at Huittown, Texas, and wants the *DAILY REPUBLICAN* sent to him. He wants to know who is elected. "The ranch boy here get news only by some new comers."

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Y. M. C. A.

Gospel meeting at the rooms to-night at 7:30 o'clock. W. R. Scruggs, leader.

Everybody invited to come even for a part of the hour. Everybody welcome.

Come.

THE gospel meeting at the rooms at 8:30 yesterday was attended by an appreciative audience. After a short time spent in devotional exercises led by Mr. J. R. Gorin, the leader presented the International Work, especially

